

How does “Voice Your Choice” benefit students?

- Provides the opportunity to gain valuable exposure to the election process;
- Inspires them to register and vote when they reach 18 years of age;
- Increases interest by involving students in the democratic process;
- Develops reason and logic skills;
- Eases “first time voter” anxiety

How do teachers benefit by allowing students to participate in “Voice your Choice”?

The “Voice Your Choice” Election Program can augment the standard social studies curriculum by:

- Giving students first-hand experience in the democratic process;
- Providing teachers the option to develop lesson plans around the mock election

Make a difference:

VOTE



Important Dates

Last day to register to vote
for the March 16, 2004
Primary Election is:
Tuesday, February 17, 2004

Last day to register to vote for
the November 2, 2004
General Election is:
Tuesday, October 5, 2004

VOICE YOUR CHOICE

Your

VOTE

Counts!!

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What is “Voice Your Choice?”

The “Voice Your Choice” Program is designed to give students hands-on experience in participating in an election.

The “Voice Your Choice” Program is flexible by design. Students can participate and complete the process in a single period or teachers can spend additional time and give students a more intensive election experience.

In the past, students have:

- Learned more about the election process
- “Cast” their first ballot
- Registered to vote
- Signed up to be an election judge

Students learn that one vote really can make a difference and have an opportunity to begin a life-long commitment to the voting process.

The McLean County Clerk’s Office will conduct the program.

We will provide:

- Poll Booth
- Ballots
- Voting Device
- Student Judge Guidelines and Application
- Election handouts

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If you are interested in participating, please fax the information below to Peggy Ann Milton, McLean County Clerk at (309) 888-5932.

We will contact you to schedule your program.

School_____

Address_____

City_____Zip_____

Phone_____

Fax_____

Grade(s)_____

Teacher_____

E-Mail:_____

Principal_____

E-Mail:_____